FISCAL NOTE

HB 297 - SB 326

February 14, 2003

SUMMARY OF BILL: Allows a local education agency (LEA), located in an county declared a federal disaster area due to severe weather which is unable to complete a full 200 day term due to such severe weather conditions, to reduce the school term by up to five days for the 2002-2003 school year only.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant

Assumes some decrease in local government expenditures due to reduction in utility, transportation and other miscellaneous costs that would not be incurred for those five days.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director